

## SUMMIT COUNTY PROSECUTOR

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## "Arrive Alive" for Thanksgiving

## Summit County Prosecutor Relaunches Campaign to Help Keep Drunk Drivers Off The Road

AKRON, Ohio (Thursday, November 18, 2021) – As people finalize plans for visiting family, friends, and loved ones during the Thanksgiving holiday, Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh wants them to Arrive Alive. The Summit County Prosecutor's Office is re-launching the Arrive Alive program to help keep drunk drivers off the roads during the Thanksgiving holiday.

WHAT: FREE rides home for Summit County Residents for the Thanksgiving HolidayWHEN: From 6pm Wednesday November 24 to Noon Friday November 26HOW: 300 One-time use codes for up to \$20 off a LYFT ride

The Summit County Prosecutor's Office is once again teaming up with the ride-share service LYFT to provide free and reduced fare rides home in Summit County for anyone who has had too much to drink while celebrating the Thanksgiving holiday. Arrive Alive has 300 one-time use codes for a free ride home (up to \$20) to use within Summit County.

"As families gather for Thanksgiving, many for the first time in over a year, I want to do everything I can to keep the roads safe. That's why Arrive Alive is so important. It gives people an alternative to getting behind the wheel impaired," said Prosecutor Walsh.

"This time of year is supposed to be filled with joy and great memories. I do not want a drunk driver to leave behind a trail of tragedy. I would also like to thank my co-sponsors, the law firms of Perantinides and Nolan, Roetzel, Kisling, Nestico and Redick, and Bevan and Associates for their assistance in helping keep drunk drivers off the road."

Summit County residents who need a ride home after drinking alcohol can use the LYFT code: SCPO1121. The program runs from 6pm on Wednesday November 24, 2021 through noon Friday November 26, 2021.

Nearly 2,000 people have used the Arrive Alive service since the Summit County Prosecutor's Office launched Arrive Alive during the 2018 July 4<sup>th</sup> holiday.

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